

Agency's Fiscal Year 2015 Agency Financial Report, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3515(a); Public Law 101-576, Sec. 303(a); (104 Stat. 2849); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

3751. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Computation of Annual Liability Insurance (Including Self-Insurance) Settlement Recovery Threshold", pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1395y(b)(9)(D); Public Law 112-242, Sec. 202(a)(2); (126 Stat. 2379); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2406. A bill to protect and enhance opportunities for recreational hunting, fishing, and shooting, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 114-377, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. COLE: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 560. Resolution providing for consideration of the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 644) to reauthorize trade facilitation and trade enforcement functions and activities, and for other purposes, and providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 2250) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes (Rept. 114-378). Referred to the House Calendar.

### DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committees on Agriculture, Energy and Commerce, Transportation and Infrastructure, and the Judiciary discharged from further consideration. H.R. 2406 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. RIGELL (for himself and Mr. WELCH):

H.R. 4208. A bill to authorize the use of the United States Armed Forces against the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California (for herself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. LEE, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Ms. MOORE, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. BASS, Mr. LEWIS, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. TAKANO, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. PLASKETT, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. DANNY K.

DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. NADLER, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. ADAMS, Ms. FUDGE, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

H.R. 4209. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize grants to provide treatment for diabetes in minority communities; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PITTFINGER:

H.R. 4210. A bill to amend the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act to require voting members of the Financial Stability Oversight Council to testify before Congress at least twice each year when requested to do so or to otherwise permit certain Members of Congress to attend meetings of the Council whether or not such meetings are open to the public; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. ROYCE (for himself and Ms. SEWELL of Alabama):

H.R. 4211. A bill to require Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac to establish procedures for considering certain credit scores in making a determination whether to purchase a residential mortgage, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California (for herself, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. SCHRADER, and Mr. LANCE):

H.R. 4212. A bill to establish a Community-Based Institutional Special Needs Plan demonstration program to target home and community-based care to eligible Medicare beneficiaries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. PASCRELL (for himself, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Mr. SERRANO):

H.R. 4213. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make residents of Puerto Rico eligible for the earned income tax credit and to provide for equitable treatment for residents of Puerto Rico with respect to the refundable portion of the child tax credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois (for himself and Mr. PASCRELL):

H.R. 4214. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the excise tax and special occupational tax in respect of firearms and to increase the transfer tax on any other weapon, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Natural Resources, the Judiciary, Energy and Commerce, and Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT (for himself, Ms. BASS, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. FARR, Mr. GRAYSON, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. KEATING, Mr. BEYER, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CONYERS, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DESAULNIER, Ms. EDWARDS, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HECK of Washington, Mr. HONDA, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. KUSTER, Mr. LAR-

SEN of Washington, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. LEWIS, Mr. LOEBESACK, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. MOULTON, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. NOLAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. POCAN, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. KILMER, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Ms. LEE, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. MENG, Mr. NADLER, Mr. NEAL, Ms. NORTON, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. POLIS, Mr. QUIGLEY, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SIREs, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. TONKO, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. TAKAI, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California, Mr. WELCH, and Mr. YARMUTH):

H.R. 4215. A bill to require regulation of wastes associated with the exploration, development, or production of crude oil, natural gas, or geothermal energy under the Solid Waste Disposal Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MOORE (for herself and Mr. STIVERS):

H.R. 4216. A bill to protect the investment choices of American investors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BERA:

H.R. 4217. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to determine eligibility for health insurance subsidies without regard to amounts included in income by reason of conversion to a Roth IRA; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN (for herself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. BARLETTA, and Mr. DESJARLAIS):

H.R. 4218. A bill to suspend the admission to the United States of refugees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BOUSTANY (for himself and Mr. MEEKS):

H.R. 4219. A bill to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of Kazakhstan; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BUCK (for himself, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mrs. LOVE, and Mr. TIPTON):

H.R. 4220. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to facilitate water leasing and water transfers to promote conservation and efficiency; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CARNEY:

H.R. 4221. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to restore National SMART Grants for a certain number of award years; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CARNEY:

H.R. 4222. A bill to direct the Secretary of Education to carry out a pilot program under which higher education savings accounts are established for the benefit of eligible secondary school students; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and

Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. JUDY CHU of California (for herself, Ms. LEE, Ms. KUSTER, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. HONDA, Mr. TAKANO, Ms. TITUS, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. GARAMENDI, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. CAPPS, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia):

H.R. 4223. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to reinstate the authority of the Secretary of Education to make Federal Direct Stafford Loans to graduate and professional students; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. COLLINS of Georgia:

H.R. 4224. A bill to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 121 Spring Street SE in Gainesville, Georgia, as the "Sidney Olsin Smith, Jr. Federal Building and United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia):

H.R. 4225. A bill to amend title 28 of the United States Code to authorize the appointment of additional bankruptcy judges; and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CURBELO of Florida (for himself and Ms. GRAHAM):

H.R. 4226. A bill to amend the Agricultural Act of 2014 to provide relief for agricultural producers adversely impacted by the Oriental fruit fly; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 4227. A bill to enhance beneficiary and provider protections and improve transparency in the Medicare Advantage market, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DESAULNIER (for himself and Mr. LAMALFA):

H.R. 4228. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to establish additional requirements for certain transportation projects with estimated costs of \$2,500,000,000 or more, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. KATKO (for himself and Mr. CICILLINE):

H.R. 4229. A bill to address the continued threat posed by dangerous synthetic drugs by amending the Controlled Substances Act relating to controlled substance analogues; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 4230. A bill to authorize the establishment of the Stonewall National Historic Site in the State of New York as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 4231. A bill to direct the Librarian of Congress to obtain a stained glass panel depicting the seal of the District of Columbia and install the panel among the stained glass panels depicting the seals of States which overlook the Main Reading Room of the Library of Congress Thomas Jefferson Building; to the Committee on House Administra-

tion, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. POMPEO:

H.R. 4232. A bill to amend the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to provide for the consideration by State regulatory authorities and nonregulated electric utilities of whether subsidies should be provided for the deployment, construction, maintenance, or operation of a customer-side technology; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ROHRBACHER (for himself, Mr. ISSA, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. ROYCE, and Mrs. MIMI WALTERS of California):

H.R. 4233. A bill to eliminate an unused lighthouse reservation, provide management consistency by incorporating the rocks and small islands along the coast of Orange County, California, into the California Coastal National Monument managed by the Bureau of Land Management, and meet the original Congressional intent of preserving Orange County's rocks and small islands, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. SARBANES:

H.R. 4234. A bill to establish a demonstration program to facilitate physician reentry into clinical practice to provide primary health services; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Ms. MATSUI, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. FRANKEL of Florida, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. NORTON, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. ELLISON, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

H.R. 4235. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide for greater spousal protection under defined contribution plans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SERRANO (for himself, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. MENG, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mr. NOLAN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. BEN RAY LUJAN of New Mexico, Mr. JEFFRIES, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, and Mr. HASTINGS):

H.R. 4236. A bill to promote savings by providing a tax credit for eligible taxpayers who contribute to savings products and to facilitate taxpayers receiving this credit and open a designated savings product when they file their Federal income tax returns; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HONDA (for himself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. POCAN, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Ms. LEE, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. KEATING, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. TAKANO):

H. Res. 561. A resolution expressing support for support of transgender acceptance; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LOWENTHAL (for himself, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. COSTA, Mr. CROWLEY, Mrs. DAVIS of Cali-

fornia, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FARR, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. HAHN, Mr. HONDA, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. KEATING, Ms. LEE, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. PETERS, Mr. POCAN, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SPEIER, Mrs. TORRES, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. VARGAS):

H. Res. 562. A resolution recognizing the 67th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the celebration of "Human Rights Day"; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ROHRBACHER (for himself, Mr. MEEKS, and Mr. COHEN):

H. Res. 563. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States and the Republic of Belarus should establish full diplomatic relations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

### CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. RIGELL:

H.R. 4208.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 11: To declare War, grant Letters of Marque and Reprisal, and make Rules concerning Captures on Land and Water

By Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California:

H.R. 4209.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, clause 1 of the U.S. Constitution and

Article 1, Section 8, clause 3 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. PITTENGER:

H.R. 4210.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I Section 1: All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States

By Mr. ROYCE:

H.R. 4211.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the U.S. Constitution to regulate commerce.

By Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California:

H.R. 4212.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. PASCRELL:

H.R. 4213.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois:

H.R. 4214.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following: